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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the application of:

GREGORY E. RICE et al.

Application No.: 10/525,596

Filed: February 23, 2005

For: DEPLETION OF PLASMA  
PROTEINS

Examiner: Unassigned

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**REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby claim small entity status in the above-identified case. Applicants request reimbursement of \$1,100 representing the overpayment of fees as a large entity at the time of filing of the nonprovisional application. A copy of the Application fee sheet is enclosed herewith. Please credit this overpayment to deposit account 20-1430. This Request is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 21, 2005

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